

2017 Cabernet Franc

DRY CREEK VALLEY • SONOMA COUNTY

Mounts Family Winery represents the aspirations of three generations. With over 70 years of farming experience on our 140 acre estate, our focus has always been a commitment to quality. From the vineyards to the cellar, uncompromising measures are taken to create an exceptional, complex style of wine that is expressed in each bottle.

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750 ML ALC. 15.8% BY YOLL CONTAINS SULFITES

Brix at harvest: average 26

Winemaker: David Mounts

Harvest date: October 2, 2017

Total Acidity: 4.8 g/l

pH: 3.90

Alcohol: 15.8%

Cases produced: 125

Fermentation and aging: Whole berry destemming, 4 - 5 day cold soak, punch downs 3 times per day. Native yeast fermentation in small, open top-one, ton fermenters. 15% co-fermentation of Petite Verdot. Total skin contact 24 days. Barrel aged 21 months in 95% new French oak. Bottled unfined and unfiltered.

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Varietal Composition: 92% Cabernet Franc, 8% Petite Verdot

Appellation: Dry Creek Valley, Sonoma County

Vineyards: French Entav clones 214, 327.

Tasting notes: Warm blackberry, cherry and violets are elegantly present in the aromas. As the wine opens up, a bit of crushed stone, forest floor and ripe raspberry come through. Elegant and rich deep flavors of black cherry and pepper spice lead to a smooth, luxurious finish.

Aging potential: 6 to 10 years



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